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TAGS: PARM, GW

SUBJECT: MBFR WORKING GROUP

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1. EMBOFF TOOK OCCASION OF SEPT 11 MEETING WITH RUTH AND GESCHER TO RECALL U.S. POSITION THAT MBFR WORKING GROUP SHOULD CHANNEL ITS UPCOMING EFFORTS TO A REALISTIC WORK PROGRAM DIRECTLY LINKED TO PREPARATION FOR NEGOTIATIONS AND CONSISTENT WITH OUR OBJECTIVE OF OBTAINING RAPID ALLIED AGREEMENT ON APPROACH TO NEGOTIATIONS. FONOFF REPS SAID THEY FULLY SHARED U.S. CONCEPT OF MBFR WORKING GROUP'S TASK. THEY ADDED THAT WG SHOULD BE LIMITED TO "EXAMINING" PROBLEMS PER REQUESTS OF NAC OR SPC, AND NOT TO APPROVING POLICY LINES.

2. GIVEN THIS GERMAN ATTITUDE, FRG NATO DEL MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO U.S. WORKING GROUP REP IN KEEPING SCOPE AND NATURE OF WG ACTIVITIES IN
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